

From: Terri-A White/R3/USEPA/US
Sent: 2/10/2012 11:40:34 AM
To: "Don Hopey" <dhopey@post-gazette.com>
CC:
Subject: Re: Questions about EPA in Dimock

Don:

Attached is an EPA letter to Cabot Oil & Gas explaining the basis and goals of EPA's investigation in Dimock. As stated in the letter, our actions in Dimock reflect our longstanding responsibility under federal environmental laws to address threats to public health. The agency's investigation in Dimock is focused solely on water quality in residential wells.

In Washington County, Pa., EPA has conducted inspections at active industrial operations including well pads and compressor stations. These inspections were done as part of our multi-media enforcement program, which develops comprehensive approaches to address complex and emerging environmental problems. Multi-media inspections are conducted in various industrial sectors to determine their compliance with multiple federal environmental laws including for air, water and hazardous waste.

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-- Terri
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From: Don Hopey [dhopey@post-gazette.com]
Sent: 02/09/2012 04:05 PM EST
To: Terri-A White
Subject: Re: Questions about EPA in Dimock

5-530 i imagine youre gone then anyway right?
ill be here till 7 though, writing

On Thu, Feb 9, 2012 at 4:02 PM, Terri-A White
<White.Terri-A@epamail.epa.gov> wrote:

> Don,
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> I will do my best to get an answer to you today. What's the latest you need
> to have a response? -- Terri

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> From: Don Hopey <dhopey@post-gazette.com>
> To: Terri-A White/R3/USEPA/US@EPA
> Date: 02/09/2012 03:49 PM
> Subject: Re: Questions about EPA in Dimock

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> dont have roys email address because we just switched but please forward to
> him
> also would like to have reply today:
> im working on story about EPA multi-media investigation in Washington
> County and it strikes me (and my editors) that it has some

> similarities (notice i didnt say it was same) to Dimock investigation.
> How is it the same and how is it different/
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> On Thu, Feb 9, 2012 at 1:26 PM, Terri-A White
> <White.Terri-A@epamail.epa.gov> wrote:
>> Hi Don,
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>> Bonnie told me that you have questions about the work EPA is doing in
>> Dimock. Please email me back and let me know what questions you have.
>> Copy
>> Roy since he and I are the EPA Region 3 press contacts on Dimock. Thanks.
>> -- Terri
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